Communications Officer-Communication's Center

(Administrative Services Division-M.S.B)

SALARY GRADE: 13

JOB SUMMARY: This position is responsible for the receiving of calls for assistance from the public and Columbia County Sheriff's Office (CCSO) personnel via the telephone and occasional walk-ins, and the subsequent dispatching of CCSO personnel to individual cases.

CHAIN COMMAND: This position answers to a Supervisor of Radio Operations (SRO).

CRITICAL RESPONSIBILITIES/DUTIES:

- Answers emergency and non-emergency telephone calls.
- Obtains complete and accurate information from callers concerning calls for service.
- Dispatches CCSO personnel to calls for service.
- Maintains the Note File in the CAD.
- Maintains radio contact with CCSO personnel.
- Assists CCSO personnel in providing necessary information when requested, to include:

Tag checks

Warrant/wanted checks

License checks

- Enters information into computer systems.
- Performs other related duties as needed.
- GCIC entry and inquiry fields

KNOWLEDGE OR SPECIAL SKILLS REQUIRED FOR THIS POSITION:

- Knowledge of the geography and roads of the county.
- Knowledge of applicable radio codes.
- Knowledge of general police law enforcement procedures.
- Skills in oral and written communication.
- Skills public relations.
- Skills computer operation.
- Must be able to perform multi-tasks.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- Holds current Georgia P.O.S.T. Communications Officer certification or is able to attain certification.
- Must be able to successfully pass any and all drug screenings.
- Must be GCIC certified or able to attain this certification.